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1. [REDACTED] approximately 150 Soviet tanks moved from Yangdok (126-38, 39-13) to Kumhwa (127-27, 38-17). [REDACTED] six Soviet tanks armed with 200-mm. (sic) caliber guns were in Hwachon (127-43, 38-06). 50X1-HUM
2. [REDACTED] 15,000 North Korean troops were moved by Soviet trucks as far as Yangdok and Hwachon; thence they were moved by 300 Soviet trucks and 500 ox carts to Kumhwa [REDACTED] they moved from Hwachon to Kuman-ni (127-47, 38-06). The troops were armed with rifles and Soviet PPSH's. 50X1-HUM
3. [REDACTED] these troops were part of 50,000 North Korean soldiers who were trained for two months in the Ch'osan (125-48, 40-50) and Wiwon (126-04, 40-53) areas in banzai tactics, utilizing only small arms. The troops were instructed to charge in four waves, the first to create confusion, the second to seize small arms and set explosions and fires, the third to take over abandoned vehicles and clear the way for the fourth wave which would be composed of technicians and trained gunners able to operate captured artillery and machine guns. The first three waves will be 100 meters apart, but the fourth is to follow 4 kilometers behind the first. 50X1-HUM
4. Approximately 20,000 troops of the 50,000 were dispatched to the western front [REDACTED] These troops are scheduled to participate in the main general offensive [REDACTED] with the objective of occupying Pusan by the end of June. The main force of this offensive is to be directed against the central front between Seoul and Chunchon. [REDACTED] troops from the east and west sectors began to transfer to this sector. 50X1-HUM

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